

RESOLUTION No. 92-2011

**RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A FFY2011 (37TH CD YEAR - JANUARY 1, 2011 - DECEMBER 31, 2011) ACTION PLAN AMENDMENT TO ADD THE RICKTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD COMPONENT TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES OF GREATER BERKS, INC. MAJOR SYSTEM OWNER OCCUPIED RESIDENTIAL REHABILITATION ACTIVITY NHS WILL SPEND PART (UP TO 50%) OF THE CDBG FUNDING IN THE RICKTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD AND MAKE THE PROGRAM AVAILABLE TO PERSONS OF ANY AGE IN THE RICKTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD.**

WHEREAS, under 24 CFR Part 91, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) outlines the consolidated submissions for Community Planning and Development programs which will serve as (1) a planning document for the City that builds on a participatory process at the grass roots level; (2) an application for federal funds under HUD's formula grant program; (3) a strategy to be followed in carrying out HUD programs; and (4) an Action Plan that provides a basis for assessing performance;

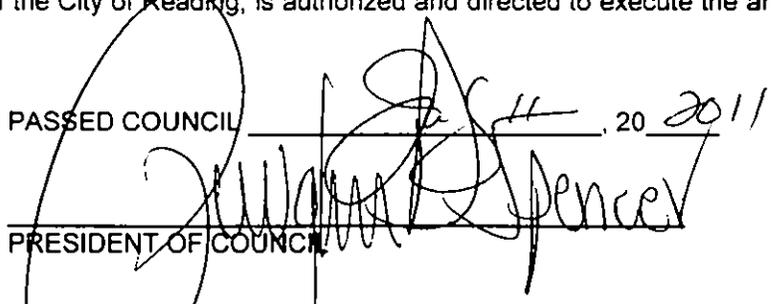
WHEREAS, the FFY2009 to FFY2013 five year Consolidated Plan (35th to 39th years - January 1, 2009 to December 31, 2013) specifies activities the City will undertake to address priority needs and local objectives using formula grant funds and program income the City expects to receive during a five year period;

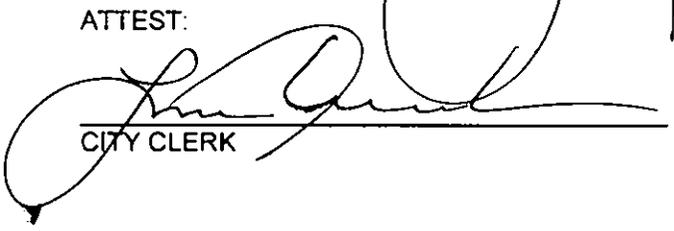
WHEREAS, the FFY2011 (37th year - January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011) Action Plan specifies activities the City will undertake to address priority needs and local objectives using formula grant funds and program income the City expects to receive during the program year;

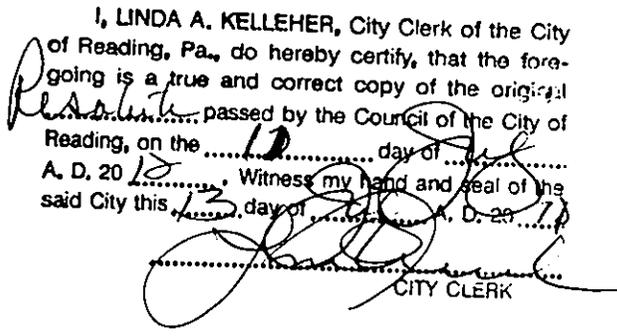
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING THAT:

The FFY2011 (37th CD year - January 1, 2011 - December 31, 2011) Action Plan is amended to add the Ricktown Neighborhood component to Neighborhood Housing Services of Greater Berks, Inc. Major System owner occupied residential rehab activity. The activity will use up to 50% of the CDBG funding for housing units that are located in the Ricktown Neighborhood [Census Tract-(Block Group) 1-(4,5), 12-(1,2), 13-(1,2,3), 25-(1,3)]. Ricktown Neighborhood grant recipients may fall into any age bracket (not solely elderly persons).

The Mayor, on behalf of the City of Reading, is authorized and directed to execute the amendment to the satisfaction of HUD.

PASSED COUNCIL 9/2/11, 20 2011  
  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST:  
  
CITY CLERK

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution passed by the Council of the City of Reading, on the 12 day of September, A. D. 20 11. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this 13 day of September, A. D. 20 11.  
  
CITY CLERK